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## THE FIRST OF THE SEASON!

## Fall Suitings JUST RECEIVED

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Come Early and Make Your Selection.

### Turnip Seed at the South Side Drug Store. 51-1

#### Educational.

The Franklin Teachers' Association and social picnic, on last Saturday, was a day long to be remembered by the citizens of Flat Creek. From the morning dawn until Sol's highest ascent in the meridian, all the leading avenues were jammed with baskets, dogs and boys, hurrying to the grounds prepared for the reception of guests.

The new building was soon filled to its utmost capacity with the sweetest human flowers that ever adorned a similar occasion.

As the great clock announced the hour of ten, all eyes were turned towards the south windows expecting the distinguished arrivals of Col. Hunter and Col. Ford, the patriot soldiers of public education.

The manager, seeing a sea of bright upturned faces expecting the curtain to rise, introduced Prof. Rufus Dinkle, who delivered a brilliant address, which teemed with thought and talent.

Superintendent Hunter spoke two hours, and not a sound or whisper was heard in that vast assembly.

He analyzed the past and present school system to the edification of all present. He demonstrated the weakness of our time-worn, moss-brained political enemies to Federal aid. His address shall live in the minds of this generation.

Doctor Wilson, the learned and gifted orator, delivered the closing address and also pronounced the final benediction.

A choir of trained singers rendered rich classical music with the organ.

By request of the patrons of the ROUNDABOUT, and through the courtesy of its editor, I append the names of the esteemed ladies who spread the sumptuous banquet:

Mrs. Elijah Brewer, Mrs. John Harrod, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Elijah Harrod, Mrs. William Harrod, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Thomas Brewer, Mrs. Jennings Pulliam, Mrs. Nicholas Moore, Mrs. David Waits, Mrs. John R. Harrod, Mrs. John Blankenship and Miss Bettie Taylor.

We would earnestly urge upon parents to visit their schools. If there was more visiting there would be less grumbling.

We had the pleasure, last Monday, of being at the open of the City Schools. We found the superintendent, teachers and pupils at work. All seemed happy and contented.

One little bright-eyed girl gave Col. Ford, a good answer, last Monday. He was lecturing them on the necessity of being regular in their attendance—not to stay away even for company. The little girl spoke up and said, "We will bring our company with us." That is the way children. Take your company to school, and don't stay at home for any thing except sickness.

If you are an old teacher you have no business to teach as you did last year. You must teach better.

The liking or disliking of a subject depends upon the way it is taught.

The calmness of ignorance is

stupidity, but the calmness of knowledge is God-like.

Children are like small necked bottles. If you pour in they are not filled, but if you put in a drop at a time you get something in after a time.

Teachers remember the "County Institute" meets the 27th. Come and bring your trustees and as many of your scholars as possible.

Remember the Educational Meeting at Pleasureville, on Saturday the 24th inst.

We are requested to publish and call the attention of parents and guardians to the following rules which govern the Frankfort City Schools:

#### "ARTICLE VIII.

"§ 2. The schools shall be opened daily for instruction, from Monday to Friday inclusive. The hours shall be as follows: From the first Monday in April to first Monday in November, from 8½ o'clock, a. m., to 2 p. m.; and from the first Monday in November to the first Monday in April, from 9 o'clock, a. m., to 2 o'clock, p. m., with a recess of fifteen minutes at 10 or half past 10 o'clock, a. m., and of thirty minutes at 12 m. In case of one short recess the school may be dismissed at 1:30.

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#### "ARTICLE X.

"§ 2. No pupil shall be received or continued in the schools under the age of six years.

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"§ 8. Any pupil who shall be absent four days in four consecutive weeks, shall be suspended by the Principal and shall not be readmitted except by order of the Trustees. No pupil shall be sus-

pended when the absence is caused by sickness or special religious holidays."

#### COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

#### Forks of Elkhorn.

Mr. W. T. B. South is sick with fever.

A refreshing shower last Wednesday.

Mrs. G. C. Hughes was on the sick list last week.

Bro. W. J. Williams resigned as pastor of Providence Church last Sunday.

Our Sunday-school here is in a flourishing condition.

Col. R. H. Young and wife, of Versailles, spent Sunday with Dr. Thompson and wife.

Dr. Pryor, of Georgetown, was down in this section last week.

Mrs. J. B. Wood fell out of a door on Sunday and broke her ankle.

Miss Lulie Lee, of Flemingsburg, is visiting Miss Annie Wood, near Woodlake.

Several of our citizens attended the Lexington fair last week.

Mr. William Pryor, of Woodlake, attended the Bourbon fair this week.

Mr. G. C. Hughes is making some improvements on his house occupied by our enterprising merchant, Mr. Cass South.

Mrs. Ryland Bedford has been quite sick with fever. At present she is improving and we hope will soon be well.

Mr. C. H. Parrent commenced his school here last Monday with 27 scholars. Bro. P. is a good teacher and will do his work well.

Miss Mollie Morgan, of Scott county, was the guest of Miss Jennie Featherston, last Sunday. Miss Mollie spent last week with Miss Drue Church, near Stedmanville.

The Sunday-school picnic, last Saturday, in Bro. Black's woods, was quite a success and was enjoyed by all present; and especially the speeches by Bro. Bagby and Col. Thos. B. Ford. The dinner was a royal feast. Many thanks to Bro. Black for the use of his ground.

The Lexington Fair, which closed last Saturday, is said to have been one of the most successful ever held by the Association.

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